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Applicant(s) : Noboru Suzuki  
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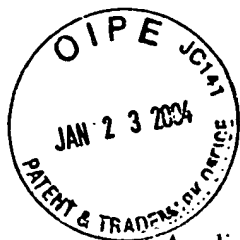
**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 28, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

2/2/04 **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.



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